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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Application Number	10/620,771-Conf. #9160
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT		Filing Date	July 17, 2003
(\$)		First Named Inventor	John L. Janning
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		Art Unit	2875
		Attorney Docket No.	J5460.0009/P009-A

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

Total Claims 4 - 20 = 2 x 50 = 100 **Fee Paid (\$)**

Multiple Dependent Claims

Indep. Claims 1 - 3 = 0 x 200 = 0 **Fee Paid (\$)**

3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE

If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
<u>100</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)

Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): 1454 Acceptance of an unintentionally delayed claim ... 1,370.00

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
John L. Janning

Application No.: 10/620,771

Filed: July 17, 2005

Art Unit: 2875

For: VOLTAGE REGULATED LIGHT STRING

Examiner: G. Lee

**PETITION TO ACCEPT UNINTENTIONALLY DELAYED
CLAIM FOR PRIORITY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.78(C)**

MS Petition
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.78(c), applicant hereby petitions the Commissioner to accept the claim for priority under 35 U.S.C. § 120 added to the above-identified patent application in the Amendment filed concurrently herewith.

The entire delay in presenting the reference in the application identifying the prior filed applications on which the § 120 claim for priority is based, between the date the claim was due and the date on which the claim was made (today), was unintentional. and amending the specification to add the claim for priority was unintentional.

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with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 04-1073, under Order No. J5460.0009/P009-A.

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